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APPROVAL OF SOUTH PLUME GROUNDWATER RECOVERY REPORT

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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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RE: Approval of South Plume
Groundwater Recovery Report

Dear Mr. Reising:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed its review of the United States Department of Energy's (U.S. DOE) South Plume Groundwater Recovery System Evaluation Report for January 1, 1995, through June 30, 1995.

The report is part of the Design, Monitoring and Evaluation Program Plan (DMEPP) summarizing the monitoring and operational activities, and assessing the effectiveness of the South Plume groundwater recovery wellfield.

The report adequately presents and assesses the South Plume groundwater contamination and the effectiveness of the groundwater extraction system.

Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the report. Please contact me at (312) 886-0992 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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